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How does your local home health agency compare?
Find this information and much more at www.medicare.gov.

	City	Patients who get better at bathing	Patients who get better at walking or moving around	Patients who get better at taking their medicines correctly (by mouth)
Delaware State Average		 55%	 32%	 36%
Bayada Nurses	Wilmington	 55%	 29%	 31%
Bayhealth Home Care	Dover	 52%	 33%	 40%
Beebe Hospital Home Health	Georgetown	 59%	 29%	 34%
Christiana Care Visiting Nurse	Georgetown	 45%	 31%	 31%
Christiana Care VNA/New Castle	New Castle	 55%	 32%	 38%
Generations Home Care, Inc.	Georgetown	 52%	 34%	 43%
Oncology Care Home Health	Newark	 43%	 25%	 25%
Professional Home Health Care	Newark	 57%	 34%	 37%
St. Francis Home Care	Wilmington	 62%	 34%	 42%
<i>Actual data from home health agencies (rounded) in alphabetical order. All home health agencies may not be listed. Look at "Home Health Compare" at www.medicare.gov on the web for a complete list of Medicare-certified home health agencies in your area.</i>				

The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS), an agency of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, believes that one way to improve the quality of care is to provide quality measures you can use to compare home health agencies.

What is home health care?

Home health care is provided when you have a medical need for skilled nursing care and other services, like physical and occupational therapy, speech-language therapy, and medical social services provided by a variety of skilled health care professionals at home. Home health care may help you reach and keep your best physical, mental, and social well-being.

Why is this information important?

Quality measures, along with other information, can help you make decisions about home health care. The quality measures chosen by CMS give you an idea of

the quality of care given by each agency. These measures were chosen because they relate to activities that are important to help you continue to live at home.

More information?

CMS has more quality measures and other information to help you make decisions about home health care. Look at "Home Health Compare" at www.medicare.gov on the web, or call **1-800-MEDICARE** (1-800-633-4227). TTY users should call 1-877-486-2048. You may also talk to your doctor or ask friends about their home health experiences.

CMS and Quality Insights of Delaware (Delaware's Quality Improvement Organization) are committed to work together with consumers, those who act on their behalf, the home health industry, and the State of Delaware to improve the quality of care for home health care patients.



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